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Age Level (pp. 75-87): G. G. Ide. - The problems of the fourteen year old boy who is mentally deficient are discussed. Six cases are described. The Training of Very Bright Children (pp. 88-96): Lightner Witmer. - A very bright child is one who has such a high measure of competency that he is able to learn more than the prescribed curriculum, within the prescribed time, under the prescribed conditions. A farmer does not try to cultivate weeds and grain in the same field. Let us be very optimistic and confidently await the day when education will be as scientifically and intelligently directed as agriculture.

Industrial Administration. A Series of Lectures by A. E. Berriman,
St. George Heath, Leonard Hill, T. B. Johnson, A. F. Stanley Kent, T. M. Legge, T. H. Pear, B. Seebohm Rowntree.
Manchester, Eng.: University Press. New York: Longmans Green & Co. 1920. Pp. 203. \$3.

## NOTES AND NEWS

The Board of Governors of the University of Manitoba, Winnipeg, Canada, announce that they will proceed shortly to appoint a professor of philosophy and invite applications for the chair. This is to be the first appointment in the Department of Philosophy and Psychology recently established. The initial salary will be \$3,800. The successful applicant will be expected to enter upon his duties on or about September 1, 1920. Five printed or typewritten copies of letter of application and testimonials should be in the hands of the Secretary of the Board of Governors on or before June 20, 1920.

We borrow from *Science* for May 14, 1920, the following account of the proposed formation of Anglo-American libraries for Central Europe:

"It is proposed to establish in Central Europe under British-American auspices libraries of recent English books indispensable to university teachers. The work is being organized on a broad, non-political, non-sectarian basis, so as to enlist the widest possible cooperation. These libraries will supply on loan books needed by the faculties of the different universities in Central Europe. They will be under the charge of British and American representatives, and committees of the foreign universities will be asked to superintend the local administration. A committee of the six most important learned societies in Germany and Austria has been formed for the carrying out of the plan which, in addition to the loan library, will include a

system of exchange of publications and duplicates between any libraries and institutions willing to cooperate. The preliminary statement of the trustees says:

"By thus taking the initiative in extending the hand of fellowship to colleagues in former enemy countries, British and American scholars are seizing a timely opportunity of helping to heal the wounds of the war and of exemplifying in a practical and convincing way the true 'international mind.'

"Viscount Bryce, Lord Robert Cecil and other English public men have expressed their approval of the plan and have promised their cooperation in carrying it out. The supporters of the plan in Great Britain include: Gilbert Murray, Oxford; A. E. J. Rawlinson, Oxford; C. S. Sherrington, Oxford; Walter Raleigh, Oxford; A. E. Shipley, Cambridge; J. J. Thomson, Cambridge; A. S. Ramsay, Cambridge; Joseph Larmor, Cambridge; Horace Darwin, Cambridge; W. B. Hardy, M.A., Cambridge; Alfred Hopkinson, Glasgow; Col. E. H. Hills, Woolwich; Henry A. Miers, Oxford; Alex. Hill, Cambridge; George Paish, London; Rickman G. Godlee, London, and Michael Sadler, Leeds.

"University teachers in the United Kingdom and America are requested to give their approval and cooperation to the plan by sending their names to the secretary, Mr. B. M. Headicar, librarian of the London School of Economics (University of London), Clare Market, London, W.C."

Dr. Charles W. Hendel, of Williams College, has accepted an appointment as associate professor of philosophy at Princeton. His successor at Williams is to be Dr. T. H. Proctor, now of Harvard.

Dr. James R. Angell, professor of psychology and dean of the university faculties at the University of Chicago, has been elected president of the Carnegie Corporation of New York. For the past year Professor Angell has been chairman of the National Research Council.